

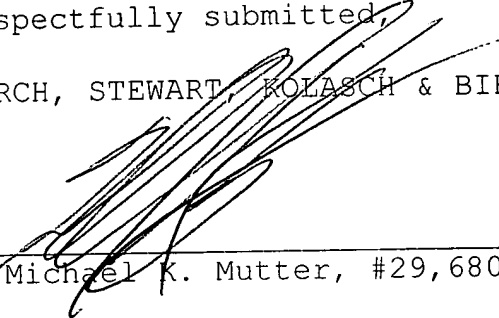
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
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Applicant: Satoshi WAKASA et al Conf.: 8051
Appl. No.: 09/780,349 Group: 1764
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November 29, 2004

Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action dated September 8, 2004,
the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in
connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.